



The Office of the Governor

THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
STATE OF IDAHO
BOISE

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 2006-07

AUTHORIZING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN IDAHO 2010 COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, the Winter Olympic Games to be held in Vancouver, British Columbia in the year 2010 presents an opportunity to be a good neighbor to the host province, while strengthening the economic vitality of Idaho through increased development activity and visitations to the state; and

WHEREAS, it is important to enhance the quality of life of all Idahoans by promoting increased economic opportunity consistent with Idaho's heritage and values; and

WHEREAS, Idaho could gain world recognition and prestige by attracting favorable attention, leading to increased interest in and visitations to the state; and

WHEREAS, it is important for the citizens of Idaho to continue to develop social and cultural values with others; and

WHEREAS, the Idaho 2010 Strategy, a plan to accomplish the foregoing has been developed; and

WHEREAS, it is important that Idaho have an official committee to coordinate activities relating to the 2010 Winter Olympic Games in Vancouver, British Columbia with entities and individuals both inside and outside Idaho;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DIRK KEMPTHORNE, Governor of the State of Idaho, by the authority vested in me by law, do hereby establish the Idaho 2010 Committee.

The Committee shall:

- 1. Oversee Idaho's implementation of the Idaho 2010 Strategy.*
- 2. Serve as the official liaison for the State of Idaho with the International Olympic Committee, the Vancouver Olympic Organizing Committee, United States Olympic Committee, and other national Olympic committees and sport federations.*
- 3. Interact with appropriate agencies and organizations such as the Pacific Northwest Economic Region (PNWER) according to the implementation of the Idaho 2010 Strategy.*
- 4. Serve as the official liaison for the State of Idaho for the encouragement of private businesses, state agencies, tribes and committees that wish to be involved with Idaho's strategy for the 2010 Winter Games.*
- 5. Provide a work plan and budget to include possible revenue sources for implementation of the Idaho 2010 Strategy.*
- 6. Amend, modify or alter Idaho's 2010 Strategy as necessary to meet changing circumstances, challenges and opportunities.*

The Governor shall appoint the Committee Chair.

The members of the Committee shall be appointed by and serve at the pleasure of the Governor.

The Committee may recommend additional members to the Governor as they deem appropriate and may establish subcommittees consistent with the needs of the Committee.

The Committee shall have regular meetings as determined by the majority of the Committee and shall meet on special occasions upon the call of the chair. Members of the Committee shall serve without compensation, but may be reimbursed for actual travel expenses not to exceed state guidelines.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this 9th day of February in the year of our Lord two thousand and six, and of the independence of the United States of America the two hundred thirtieth and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred sixteenth.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Dirk Kempthorne".

DIRK KEMPTHORNE
GOVERNOR

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Ben Yursa".

BEN YURSA
SECRETARY OF STATE